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In re Application of:  
Sondre Skatter et al.  
Application No. 09/954,724  
Filed: September 12, 2001  
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR A  
DISTRIBUTABLE GLOBE GRAPHICAL  
OBJECT

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DECISION ON REQUEST FOR  
WITHDRAWAL AS ATTORNEY  
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This is a decision on the Request To Withdraw from Representation filed on August 01, 2005.

A grantable request to withdraw as attorney of record should indicate thereon the present mailing addresses of the attorney(s) who is/are withdrawing from the record and of the applicant. **A request to withdraw will not be approved unless at least 30 (thirty) days would remain between the date of approval and the later of the expiration date of a time to file a response or the expiration date of the maximum time period which can be extended under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).** The effective date of withdrawal is the date of decision and not the date of request. See M.P.E.P. § 402.06. 37 C.F.R. § 10.40(a) further requires that the applicant or patent owner be notified of the withdrawal of the attorney or agent.

An Office action was mailed on March 28, 2005. Therefore, as of the mailing of this decision, less than thirty days remain in the maximum extendable period for response to the Office action.

Accordingly, the request is **DENIED**.

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